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Applicant: Francesco BRAGHIROLI RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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TIRE OF A VEHICLE WHEEL

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2007 having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire June 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: